Public Law 101-419 101st Congress

An Act

To convey certain Oregon and California Railroad Grant Lands in Josephine County, Oregon, to the Rogue Community College District, and for other purposes.

Oct. 12, 1990 [S. 1738]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

SECTION 1. CONVEYANCE OF LAND.

(a) Conveyance.—Subject to section 2, the Secretary of the Interior shall convey, without consideration, all right, title, and interest of the United States in and to land described in subsection (b) to the Rogue Community College District in Josephine County, Oregon (hereafter in this Act referred to as the "District").

(b) Land Description.—The land referred to in subsection (a) is land in Josephine County, Oregon, described as Township 36 South,

Range 6 West, W.M., Section 27, southwest 1/4, northeast 1/4.

SEC. 2. LIMITATIONS ON CONVEYANCE.

The conveyance authorized by section 1(a) is subject to the following limitations:

(a) Encumbrances.—Such conveyance shall be subject to all encumbrances on the land existing as of the date of enactment of this Act.

(b) MINERAL RIGHTS.—Such conveyance shall reserve to the United States all minerals in the land, including geothermal rights, together with the right to prospect for, mine, and remove the minerals and geothermal resources.

(c) RIGHT OF WAY FOR DITCHES AND CANALS.—Such conveyance shall be subject to the proviso in the fourth undesignated paragraph under the caption entitled "United States Geological Survey" in the first section of the Act of August 30, 1890 (26 Stat. 371, 391) (43 U.S.C. 945).

(d) Reversionary interest.—Such conveyance shall be subject to a reversionary interest in the land described in section 1(b) to be held by the United States. If such land ceases to be used for educational purposes, all right, title, and interest in and to such land shall revert to the United States and shall be identified, classified, and managed as Oregon and California Railroad Grant Lands.

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